

Dear FCC,

I think media consolidation, which is what this June 2nd ruling is all about, is coming at a time when the public wants and needs less monopolized ownership of its' airwaves, not more. To allow this change to occur does a profound disservice to our diverse population, its' culture, and to the spirit and practice of our Democracy. Truly balanced coverage, uncensored information, and open discourse are necessary for a functional Democracy. Without them, we lay the ground work for our Nations demise. What could be more UNPATRIOTIC?

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